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Funeral of Charles Beck.
Services conducted by Knights and Ladies of Honor.

Wedding Rings Sold Gold.
Fluorite quality, 10 to 12. M. J. M. & Co., 1000 Broadway and Locust.

MRS. MATTIE BROUGHAM DEAD.
Former Organist of West Park Church Stricken in Seattle.

It is really surprising the number
of men with families depending upon them who are in the habit of drinking.

St. Louis Man Killed at Sea.
Word was received in St. Louis yesterday by relatives of the death of Oscar A. Hahn, a seaman on the Georgia, while that ship was leaving New York City on May 21.

Wittor Funeral This Afternoon.
The funeral of Marshall B. Wittor of Milan, Mo., will be held at the home of his mother, Mrs. Wittor, at 10 o'clock this afternoon.

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FORMER PRIEST BECOMES INEBRIATE

John Ryan, Who Says Liquor Caused His Expulsion From the Church, Treated for Alcoholism at City Hospital.

John Ryan, a former Catholic priest, was found unconscious on the street at Ninth and Market streets early yesterday morning. When taken to the City Hospital he was found to be suffering from alcoholism. His condition was pronounced serious.

Ryan said that he had become a victim of the liquor habit shortly after he left college, and that he had been expelled from the Catholic priesthood for that reason.

He removed to St. Louis eight years ago, and for a time was employed as a bookkeeper, but was discharged as a result of his inability to quit drinking. After his discharge he worked at various places. Two years ago he secured work at the City Hospital as a stretcher carrier, but lost it as he had lost his former ones.

While at the hospital, employees who knew him said that he was a drunkard, and that he had been expelled from the hospital for that reason.

Ryan said that he had been working as a laborer.

Although hardly able to speak yesterday, Ryan displayed unusual knowledge of the classics.

He said that while only a youth, at his home in Ireland, he acquired a taste for liquor which increased as he grew older. After he left school he became an inebriate, and before many months had passed he was removed from his position and from the Catholic Church as well.

When taken to the hospital he was unable to articulate, and it was only after he had been treated for some time that he was able to speak.

He refused to discuss his relatives other than to say that most of them lived in Dublin. He is 35 years old and unmarried.

Since his discharge from the City Hospital he said that he had been working as a laborer.

SERIOUSLY HURT BY FALL.

Boy Plunges Down Stairs When Friends Loose Their Hold.

Two friends of William Kesse, 17 years old, who tried to take him home from a dance last Saturday night, released their hold at the top of the stairs of the second floor and he fell sixteen feet to the bottom. His injuries probably are internal, and may be serious.

Kesse, who lives with his parents at No. 142 South Third street, was said to have been drunk in Grun's Hall, at Third and Barry streets. His friends, Matt Roth, 15 years old, of No. 106 South Third street, and John J. Kesse, 17 years old, of No. 142 South Third street, tried to take him home.

After his fall he lay unconscious for a while. He was taken to his home, where he was attended by Doctor Edward C. Kesse, who lives at No. 142 South Third street. He was released, but released later.

THROWN FROM CAR AT CURVE.

Girl Escapes Unhurt in Fall From Rear Platform.

Miss Emma Welling, 17 years old, No. 118 South Thirtieth street, escaped unhurt from the rear platform of a street car last Saturday night. She was thrown from the car at the corner of No. 212 of the Tower Grove line. As the car rounded the curve at Fourteenth street and Park avenue, she was thrown from the rear platform.

She complained of no injuries, and went home on the same car with her sister. Miss Welling was a passenger on the car when it was struck by a car from the East. The car struck the car and it was thrown from the car.

FUNERAL OF CHARLES BECK.

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Word was received in St. Louis last night of the death yesterday in Seattle, Wash., of Mrs. Mattie Brougham, former organist of the West Park Baptist Church, at Nineteenth and Hamilton avenues. She died at No. 208 Cass avenue.

Mrs. Brougham had been in poor health for some time. She was 55 years old and was a native of St. Louis. She was married to Mr. Brougham, who was a native of St. Louis.

IT'S IN THE MAKE, SAYS

H. A. Hesse, Tailor, N. E. 7th and Locust.

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